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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **MATSUMOTO, Katsuyuki**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Date: December 30, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2003 for two months from November 18, 2003 to January 18, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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